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# God's Chosen People

## 1 Peter 2:1-10

They are a  
**STRANGE  
BUNCH!**

## Acts 17:18

Then certain Epicurean and Stoic philosophers encountered him. And some said, “**What does this babbler want to say?**”

Others said, “**He seems to be a proclaimer of foreign gods,**” because he preached to them Jesus and the resurrection.

## **“Deut 14:1–2**

**You *are* the children of the Lord your God; you shall not cut yourselves nor shave the front of your head for the dead. <sup>2</sup> For you *are* a holy people to the Lord your God, and the Lord has chosen you to be a people for Himself, a special treasure above all the peoples who *are* on the face of the earth**

## Deut 7:6–8

“For you *are* a holy people to the Lord your God; the Lord your God has chosen you to be a people for Himself, a special treasure above all the peoples on the face of the earth. <sup>7</sup> **The Lord did not set His love on you nor choose you because you were more in number than any other people, for you were the least of all peoples;** <sup>8</sup> **but because the Lord loves you, and because He would keep the oath which He swore to your fathers,** the Lord has brought you out with a mighty hand, and redeemed you from the house of bondage, from the hand of Pharaoh king of Egypt.

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## Deut 26:16–19

“This day the Lord your God commands you to observe these statutes and judgments; therefore you shall be careful to observe them with all your heart and with all your soul. <sup>17</sup> Today you have proclaimed the Lord to be your God, and that you will walk in His ways and keep His statutes, His commandments, and His judgments, and that you will obey His voice. <sup>18</sup> Also today the Lord has proclaimed you to be His special people, just as He promised you, that *you* should keep all His commandments, <sup>19</sup> and that He will set you high above all nations which He has made, in praise, in name, and in honor, and that you may be a holy people to the Lord your God, just as He has spoken.”

# God's Chosen People Today -- Christians

- Lively Stones
- A Spiritual House
- A Holy (-- Royal) Priesthood
- A Holy NATION
- A Peculiar People
- THE PEOPLE OF GOD!

**Are You a part of  
This Strange Bunch?**